



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

**Mail Stop Amendment After Final**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated May 10, 2005.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.